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In re Application of: VARRIANO-MARSTON, Elizabeth

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Honorable Commissioner:

Request for Continued Examination Transmittal Letter

In response to the Advisory Action of July 30, 2003, Applicant requests the Amendments to the claims in the After Final Office Action Response filed on July 9, 2003, remain unentered, and the following Amendments in this Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) be entered in their place.

Applicant respectfully herein submits:

- 1) Request for Continued Examination PTO/SB/30;
- 2) Amendment and remarks; and
- 3) Form PTO/SB/17 in the amount of \$375.00, for RCE Filing Fee (small entity).

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